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**S. 3394**

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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**AMENDMENT**

Intended to be proposed by Mr. HUGHES to S. 3394, a bill to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, and for other purposes, viz: At the end of the bill, add the following new section:

1           LIMITING INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES

2       SEC. 33. Chapter 3 of part III of the Foreign Assist-  
3       ance Act of 1961, as amended by sections 17 (a) and 18 of  
4       this Act, is further amended by adding at the end thereof  
5       the following new section:

6       "SEC. 661. LIMITATIONS UPON INTELLIGENCE AC-  
7       TIVITIES.—(a) No funds appropriated under the authority  
8       of this or any other Act may be expended by or on behalf  
9       of the Central Intelligence Agency or any other agency of

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1 the United States Government for the conduct of covert ac-  
2 tion operations, other than operations intended solely for ob-  
3 taining necessary intelligence. Notwithstanding the fore-  
4 going limitation, the President may authorize and direct that  
5 any covert action operation be resumed, or that any other  
6 covert action operation be initiated, and funds may be ex-  
7 pended therefor, if he (1) finds that such operation is vital to  
8 the defense of the United States, and (2) transmits a report  
9 of his finding, together with a detailed description of the na-  
10 ture and the scope of such operation, to any joint committee  
11 of Congress, or any committee of either House of Congress,  
12 having jurisdiction to monitor and review the intelligence  
13 activities of the United States Government.

14 “(b) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (a) of  
15 this section, the President may authorize and direct the con-  
16 duct of such covert action operations as he deems of im-  
17 mediate need and urgency during military operations ini-  
18 tiated by the United States under a declaration of war by  
19 Congress or an exercise of powers by the President under  
20 the war powers resolution (Public Law 93-148).”.

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